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THE REPORT OF THE DEATH OF GENERAL MACAO, leader of the Cuban rebels, has been confirmed.  
 The annual regatta of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club was held on Saturday. The wind blew in gusts from the north-east, and the outfit of the boats was tested to the uttermost. There were several capsize.  
 The recently-completed Cottage Hospital at Manly was opened on Saturday by Mr. Douglas Thompson, M.L.C., in the presence of about 150 citizens and visitors.  
 It is admitted by the Spanish Government that 17,000 soldiers have been lost in the efforts to suppress the rebellions in Cuba and the Philippines.  
 The entire town of Pangasinan, in Tamaraut, killed  
 GARDNER'S GOODBYE.  
 A startling and convincing good-bye made in the (L.A.S.).

that country with its rapidly increasing population and its diminishing sheep production may be secured to be much better customer than it was during the previous twenty years, when wool prices declined so greatly. And as Mr. FRASER has recently told us, the Australian product from its superiority will be preferred to the inferior one of Argentina. Therefore, it may be mentioned that the Angloverger of that country is devoting more attention to the quality of the fleece he sends to market, and if our growers are to maintain their pre-eminence in America as elsewhere, they will have to pursue their business with undiminished vigour and intelligence.

With settled conditions in America and a continuance of the improvement in trade

control of the Congo State Bel-  
gium multiplied her territory 80  
times. It is quite true that Eng-  
land's one-third is greater than  
any other nations' acquisitions  
in Africa, and of France, and it is also true  
that England's plans for colonial expansion  
served some shrewd checks at  
the hands of Great Britain, as  
the empire south of the Zambezi,  
and at Walvisch Bay. But  
on the other hand, the institution  
of the Congo State, which  
demands so much when displayed  
in detail, has served Germany's pur-  
pose so well that a whole colonial empire  
of as much as six square miles of  
land has come into existence since

National Harmonic Union: Meeting, Temperance Hall, 7 p.m.

North Sydney Orphan's' Club: Moonlight Concert, Staneslane House Circular, Sat 7.45 p.m.

National Shipwreck Relief Society: Annual Meeting, Town Hall, 8 p.m.

Her Majesty's Theatre: *Deadend* by Mr. E. Lewis, Sat., 8 p.m.

Patrons: Meeting, Trades Hall, 8 p.m.

H. B. P. League Meeting, No. 146, Protestant Hall, 8 p.m.

Little Bridge Lodge and Protestant Home, Twynholm: Brighton Reading Club, First term at 8.45 p.m.

Tramway Depot: "Golden Bell," 8 p.m.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "A Milk White Swan," 8 p.m.

Lancers' Entertainment: at 470 Pitt-street, Sat., opposite the Lyceum Theatre.

Patrons: "Thursdays," 8 p.m.

Lyceum: "Thursdays," Variety Company, 7.45 p.m.

Travellers' Theatre: "Jerusalem," opposite Rialto Theatre, Sat. 9 p.m. and Sun. 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Australian War Veterans' Fund: Annual, Lewin Hall, 8 p.m.







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